



The Delta Nu Review

The alumni newsletter for Delta Nu Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity



Delta Nu Alumni Association
Tau Kappa Epsilon
Bob Noren, President Delta Nu Alumni Association



Letter from the President

Feb 2025

Fraters.

The 2025 Delta Nu Alumni Association (DNAA) Annual Meeting highlighted significant achievements, financial updates, and future plans. The organization was honored as the Top Alumni Association among 140 Tau Kappa Epsilon (TKE) alumni chapters worldwide, recognizing the contributions of its members. The meeting agenda included reports from various committees, including finance, scholarship, property management, and social planning, demonstrating the association's commitment to fostering leadership and community support.

Key financial updates were presented, showcasing a stable balance sheet with a breakdown of budget allocations for 2025. The Capital Improvements Fund, supported by donations and fundraising events, will finance projects such as brick tuckpointing for the chapter house. Membership growth was also a focal point, with an increase in active members and a plan to recruit more alumni, especially recent graduates. The Triangle Award was presented to distinguished members for their contributions, reinforcing the spirit of lifelong brotherhood.

Looking ahead, the DNAA outlined an active social calendar, including 2 golf tournaments, a summer cookout, regional gatherings, and a homecoming event aimed at engaging different generations of alumni. A moment of silence was held for members lost in 2024, underscoring the fraternity's deep bonds. The meeting concluded with the passing of the gavel, symbolizing leadership transition and the continuation of DNAA's legacy.

Yours in the Bond, Bob Noren Alumni Association Board President (910)

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ΔN Alumni Upcoming Social Events 2025

Omaha March Madness party, March 22nd – Tanner's at noon - Host Roy Noren

Summer Golf Event – Maryville, May 29th & 30th weekend- Hosted Brent Steffens

Pledge Class Reunions - Maryville, May 30th - Classes of 1975 (40th Host John Moore), 2000 (25th Host Brent Steffens) and 2005 (20th Host TBD)

Summer Cookout Party, Kansas City, July Date TBD - Host Tony Dorrel

Fall Golf Event, Paradise Pointe Golf Course, Kansas City, Oct 4th - Hosts Gunner Sumy & Nate Beaver

Homecoming cookout - TKE House, Maryville, October 25th - Host TBD

ΔN Communications Schedule 2025

We plan 3 more releases & 9 special topic targeted emails: 3 summer golf, 2 fall golf, 2 pledge class targets, 2 fall golf.

June - Golf Chair, Social Chair, Chapter Prytanis

- Recap golf and Triangle
- Upcoming events summer, homecoming, fall golf
- Chapter Recap GPA, awards

Sept – Chapter Pres, BOA Chair, Chapter Advisor

- New members, social events, fund raising
- Upcoming events, homecoming, fall golf
- Property Recap past year, current year

Dec - DNAA Pres, Membership Chair,

- Pres Holiday letter and Annual Meeting reminder
- Membership recap & call for past due
- Chapter Eternal 2025



Membership Renewals 2025

These fraters have DNAA dues coming up for renewal in the next 5 months.

| Scroll | Frater Name | Term | Expire Date | No of Years |
|--------|--------------------------|------|-------------|-------------|
| 78 | Donald D. Beeson | 3Yr | 2/1/2025 | 14 |
| 722 | Thomas C. Wood | 5Yr | 2/1/2025 | 14 |
| 791 | Kenneth W. Rigsbey | 3Yr | 2/1/2025 | 4 |
| 971 | Ronald L. Loida | 5Yr | 2/1/2025 | 8 |
| 784 | Jeff A. Taylor | 3Yr | 3/1/2025 | 15 |
| 957 | Jeff K. Rosencrants | 3Yr | 3/1/2025 | 3 |
| 1564 | Gunner C. Sumy | 3Yr | 3/1/2025 | 8 |
| 1612 | Jesse L. Birkenholz | 5Yr | 3/1/2025 | 5 |
| 663 | Stephen J. Freel | 3Yr | 4/1/2025 | 15 |
| 811 | Ed Peiker | 3Yr | 4/1/2025 | 3 |
| 1168 | Todd D. Hollen | 1Yr | 4/1/2025 | 1 |
| 13 | Richard "Dink" E. Dinkel | 3Yr | 5/1/2025 | 15 |
| 81 | David R. Hansen | 3Yr | 5/1/2025 | 12 |
| 344 | Douglas E. Keever | 5Yr | 5/1/2025 | 16 |
| 351 | Chuck L. Riley | 3Yr | 5/1/2025 | 15 |
| 617 | Michael J. Hale | 1Yr | 5/1/2025 | 1 |
| 676 | Gregory E. Wever | 3Yr | 5/1/2025 | 15 |
| 727 | Don L. Edwards | 5Yr | 5/1/2025 | 14 |
| 766 | Steve Coulter | 1Yr | 5/1/2025 | 1 |
| 871 | Todd W. Schuler | 5Yr | 5/1/2025 | 15 |
| 893 | Jay A. Midkiff | 1Yr | 5/1/2025 | 1 |
| 915 | Bernard A. Bennett | 1Yr | 5/1/2025 | 1 |
| 1214 | Jay M. Davidson | 1Yr | 5/1/2025 | 3 |

To pay dues with a credit card, go to https://www.nwtke.com/join-the-delta-nu-alumni-association and complete the payment process. To pay by check, make it out to DNAA and mail it to Brad Shelton 1805 Arabian Ave, Naperville, IL 60565 DNAA Treasurer





Call to Action 2025

St. Jude Children's Fund

Support the Delta Nu Active Chapter achieve their goals for fund raising for St Jude's. By donating to St. Jude, you are actively contributing to saving children's lives and pushing the survival rate for childhood cancers significantly higher and supporting our collegiate members exceed their philanthropic goals too.

https://www.nwtke.com/join-the-delta-nu-alumni-association/#stjude

Delta Frater Peter J Greve Memorial Scholarship Superbowl Squares

It's time again to play "SUPER BOWL SQUARES" to raise money for our scholarship and your chance to win up to \$1000. If your square matches the score at the end of each quarter of the Super Bowl, you win \$250. Squares are just \$25.

To enter, contact Dick Westbrook, Delta Nu 675. <u>westbrookrichard@msn.com</u> or phone: 515-262-1124

TKE Leadership Fund

Your Leadership Fund is money kept by the TKE Foundation to support your chapter's educational initiatives. Included in those initiatives are registration costs to TKE conferences, such as the Regional Leadership Conference (RLC). Donate to help Delta Nu utilize Leadership Funds. We sent 12 men Feb 1 thru 3 to Chicago for the RLC. For more information, contact Frater Steve Moss or go to https://www.nwtke.com/pay-special-fees-online and make a contribution.





Chapter Eternal



We have received news of the passing of the following Fraters.

Please remember them and their loved ones in your thoughts and prayers.

These Fraters that have entered the Chapter Eternal in the last 12 months. Bold denotes that the Frater has received a brick on the memorial wall.

| Scroll | Full Name | Deceased Date | Pledge Class |
|--------|-----------------------|---------------|--------------|
| 76 | Paul P. White | 3/21/2024 | 1956 Fall |
| 160 | William M. Sparks | 1/5/2024 | 1959 Spring |
| 176 | Foster K. Holcomb | 11/21/2021 | 1959 Fall |
| 314 | Gerald M. Brown | 2/14/2024 | 1963 Fall |
| 350 | Russ R. Northup | 6/15/2024 | 1964 Spring |
| 373 | Ron L. Howitt | 1/11/2024 | 1965 Spring |
| 380 | Jimmy L. Phillips | 1/6/2017 | 1965 Spring |
| 483 | Ray Elizondo | 6/13/2024 | 1968 Spring |
| 572 | Patrick A. Campbell | 1/30/2024 | 1971 Fall |
| 585 | Douglas E. McMullen | 11/22/2024 | 1971 Fall |
| 603 | John M. Clevenger | 1/16/2024 | 1972 Fall |
| 643 | Douglas H. Burmeister | 9/17/2024 | 1974 Spring |



A donation in a frater's name supports Capital Improvements. Go to https://www.nwtke.com/pay-special-fees-online provide your name and the deceased frater for which you want to donate.

Once a frater achieves a Memorial Wall balance of \$500, he receives the brick.



Final Thoughts 2025

Brotherhood is more than just a word—it's a lifelong bond built on trust, loyalty, and shared experiences. It means having a group of men who support you through the highs and lows, push you to be your best, and stand by you no matter what.

Brotherhood is about accountability, respect, and a commitment to something bigger than yourself. It's late-night conversations, celebrating victories together, and picking each other up after failures. It's a family you choose, one that lasts far beyond your college years.

For me, given my deep involvement in alumni engagement, philanthropy, and chapter support, brotherhood means continuing that legacy—mentoring younger members, preserving traditions, and ensuring that future

generations experience the same lifelong benefits.

Brotherhood isn't just about the present; it's about leaving something greater behind.

YITB, Brad Shelton

Treasurer DNAA (651)



